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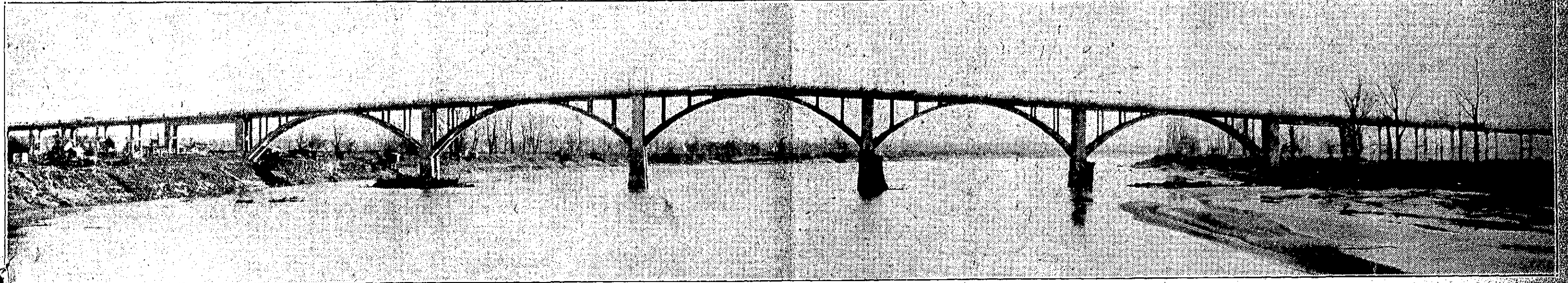
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## To Dedicate New Million-Dollar Fulton Bridge About May 1



### Five Are Injured When Cars Collide

#### Two Are Injured Seriously, Three Get Minor Hurts

Drivers Blinded By Dust Cause of Auto Wreck Near Here.

#### CARS DEMOLISHED

Two of Accident Victims Brought to Hospital Here.

Blinded by dust caused from racing automobile, two cars collided late yesterday afternoon on the Hope and Washington road about two miles north of this city, injuring five persons, two seriously and the other three received minor injuries.

Edward Bonds, aged 18, driving a Chevrolet touring car which was occupied by four other persons, collided head-on into a Ford coupe driven by Dr. W. M. Garner, of this city. According to reports received here, Dr. Garner was coming to Hope, while the Bonds car was en route to Washington. Dr. Garner was trailing a car driven by a negro whose name is not known, but who was raising a cloud of dust. After the bonds car had passed the negro a terrible crash was heard as the two automobiles struck each other, injuring Mrs. Harvey Bonds who suffered a severe cut on the head. Mrs. Roy Bonds was hurt seriously when she received injuries about the neck and cuts and bruises about the body. The other three occupants, Edward and Louise Bonds, son and daughter of Mrs. Harvey Bonds, and Dale Bonds, 11-year-old son of Mrs. Roy Bonds, received minor injuries.

After the collision occurred, and Mrs. Garner rendered medical aid, Dr. Garner and Roy Bonds were brought to a hospital in this city, while the others were taken to their homes at Blvins.

The Chevrolet was demolished, and the Garner car was badly smashed, while Dr. Garner escaped without injury.

### Goodwin's Trial Begins At Boston

Officers Stationed at Court House To Prevent Any Up-Rising

BOSTON, Texas, March 10.—(AP)—More than a score of officers from four counties guarded the court house today as Dave Goodwin, aged 40, charged with murder in connection with the brutal slaying of Lloyd Elliott, 22, who's body was found near here last week, was brought to trial.

District attorney George W. Johnson ordered all persons to be sequestered before they were allowed to enter the court house where Goodwin is being tried. He was brought here this morning from Marshall, Texas, where he was taken to prevent any mob violence, following the finding of Elliott's body near his home last week.

Officers of Harrison, Marion, Case and Bowie counties arrived with Goodwin, and were guarding him to avoid an up-rising which might take place.

### Elks Memorialize Deceased Members

Resolutions of respect were adopted by the Elks club last week for two deceased members of the Hope lodge, W. H. Toney and Fred A. Coleman. The resolutions, reported by a committee of John S. Fitzsimmons, I. T. Bell, Sr., and Talbot Field, declared:

"Each of these brothers had accepted and lived the principles of Elksdom. They knew and practiced brotherly love, justice, charity and fidelity, the same principles of life that Christ the Savior of men gave us, during His journey from Bethlehem to Calvary, from the manger to the cross."

### Dramatic Club to Organize Tonight

Those Interested, Asked to Meet at Saenger at 8 p. m.

A dramatic club will be organized in this city at a meeting called for 8 o'clock tonight on the mezzanine floor of the Saenger theater.

The organization of such a club was discussed at a group meeting held at the Saenger theater Sunday afternoon, and the organization effort will be made tonight. It will follow the general lines of Little Theater groups which have been formed in many Arkansas cities, and which are holding a state tournament at Little Rock soon.

The purpose of the local organization is to give expression to amateur dramatic talent and such plays as it presents will probably be staged in the local theatres. It is not planned to follow the Little Theater organization of establishing a small house exclusively its own, but to use the theaters that are already established.

### Song Festival To Be Staged Friday

Junior P. T. A. Sponsors Night Event at the Saenger Theater

A song festival will be sponsored at the Saenger theater Friday night, March 14, by the Junior Parent-Teachers association, it was announced today.

The P. T. A. is arranging a program full of novelties, the song festival being helped out by a "bouncing ball" screen feature. The program is being built around this, with juvenile choruses and individual solos.

Friday night's feature picture, "The Ship from Shanghai," is a thrilling adventure story, starring Conrad Nagel, Kay Johnson, Carmel Myers and Louis Wolheim.

### SANFORDS BODY LEAVES CAPITAL FOR KNOXVILLE

WASHINGTON, March 10.—(AP)—The body of Justice Edward Terry Sanford was directed tonight to its final resting place in his native Tennessee hills. Accompanied by a group of his colleagues from the Supreme Court, the body of the jurist left here tonight for Knoxville, Tenn., where they will participate in brief funeral exercises tomorrow and return to Washington for the final rites Tuesday for William Howard Taft.

### Trial of Walker Starts Today at Harrisburg, Ark.

Charged With Death of Mrs. Lena Walsh Last December.

#### 200 ARE SUMMONED

Defense Attorneys Would Prove Body Not That of Mrs. Walsh.

HARRISBURG, March 10.—(AP)—The trial of Willie Walker, of Wynne, Ark., charged with murder in connection with the death of Mrs. Lena Waught Campbell Walsh, whose body was found in a clump of bushes near Marked Tree last December, opened today.

Defense attorneys said they would prove the body was not that of Mrs. Walsh. Both sides expect much trouble in selecting a jury, as the case has been widely discussed. Over two hundred men have been summoned as jurors.

The mutilated body of Mrs. Walsh was found by two farmers, she had shot three times and beaten about the head and the body had been dragged for a long distance.

Four times the body was incorrectly identified.

### Taft Funeral To Be Held Tuesday

Hoover Announces Thirty Day Period of Official Mourning.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—(AP)—William Howard Taft former president and chief justice of the United States supreme court died at his home here late Saturday afternoon. He passed peacefully from life wrapped in a merciful unconsciousness after weeks of illness. A sudden hardening of the arteries preceded death by a half hour. He was in his 73rd year.

By his own request he will rest in Arlington cemetery the citadel of the nation's heroic dead. The funeral services will be held probably on Tuesday at All Soul's Unitarian church, which he attended.

President Hoover was foremost among the many who went sorrowfully to the residence on Wyoming avenue where the only man in history to hold America's two highest offices in death. The President announced a 30 day period of official mourning.

### Negro Killed In Shooting Affair

Tragedy Occurred After Quarreling for Several Hours.

After quarreling for several hours, Cora Lee Phillips, negro woman aged about 18 drew a pistol from under the pillow of her bed and fired a shot into the heart of O. B. Thompson, negro, 22, about 3:30 o'clock today, killing him instantly.

The shooting affair took place at the home of the negro woman, 608 South Laurel street. Officers were called immediately, and she confessed to the killing.

No inquest was held this morning, but a hearing before Judge Bright will be held this afternoon about 4:30.

### Three Burned To Death At Memphis

Cigarette, Dropped From Lips of Woman, Is Cause of Blaze.

MEMPHIS, March 10.—(AP)—A lighted cigarette which fell from the lips of a young woman as she suddenly fell asleep, is believed to have caused an apartment house blaze, and the death of two other women here today.

Mrs. Grace Carlton, aged 30, and Myrtle Boozier, 29, were the victims of the tragedy. Both women had been married but were divorced and living at the apartment house when it was destroyed by fire.

The structure is located at 611 Madison street. A twelve year old youth and Mrs. A. S. Martin, who were occupants of the house, Mrs. Martin was carried to safety by her husband, while firemen faced the flames to enter another room and rescue the youth.

### Jurors Are Named For April Court

Jury Commissioners Select Grand and Petit Jurors.

Names of grand and petit jurors for the April term of Hempstead Circuit Court were announced by the jury commissioners as follows:

The grand jurors will be: John Timberlake, DeAnn; Virgil England, Hope R. F. D.; J. Ched Hall, Hope; W. P. Agee, Hope; C. A. Daniels, Redland township; Bert Scott, McCaskill; I. H. Beauchamp, Blvins; N. R. Lewis, Mine Creek township; J. F. Johnson, Columbus; J. A. Simms, Noland township; R. B. Avery, Noland township; Oscar Rider, Patmos; W. F. Gilbert, Ozan township; W. G. Scooter, Spring Hill; Louis Johnson, Bis d'Arc township; and C. M. Hanchey of Water Creek township.

Alternate grand jurors will be: E. M. Ramage, Mine Creek township; H. B. Sley, Redland township; W. T. Yarberry, Noland township; Burgin McManan, Bodcaw township; Tom Gathright, Saratoga; A. H. Christian, Ozan township; W. H. Weir, Ozan township; and Carl Reece, Hope, R. F. D.

Petit Jurors

Two panels of petit jurors have been chosen, one panel for the first two weeks of the term and the other for the second two weeks.

Those who are named in the first panel will report Monday, April 8. They are: H. H. Foster, Spring Hill; Lee McKee, Spring Hill; Allen Franks, Water Creek township; C. C. Norwood, Mine Creek township; Dave Tollett, Mine Creek township; Lester Wade, Blvins; R. W. Bond, Blvins; L. E. Boyd, Emmett; R. F. D.; Joe Wilson, Columbus; Robert Caldwell, Saline township; Charles G. Hayes, Water Creek township; Hugh Lascier, Hope; R. F. D.; Jewell Moore, Hope; J. A. McDaniel, Hope; Ess White, Hope; Jack Drake, Carl G. Coffee, DeAnn; Jasper Arnold, DeAnn; C. B. O'Steen, DeAnn; L. E. Salesbury, Ozan township; Gip Martin, Ozan township; Charles Mayton, Bodcaw township; and Charles Middlebrooks, Bodcaw township.

Alternates for the first panel will be: Lon Henderson, Spring Hill township; Cleve Foster, Spring Hill; Jim Stuart, Mine Creek township; Keith Eley, McCaskill; Charles Routon, Sr., Hope; J. T. McClellan, Spring Hill township; Jim Hester, Saline township; S. R. Hamilton, Bodcaw township; S. F. Citty, Ozan; J. W. Messer, Hope; R. F. D.; J. S. Wilson, Jr.

### Bulletins

MEMPHIS, March 10.—(P)—L. R. Holt, aged 35, plantation owner of Swift, Ark., was drowned today, when his automobile plunged into a ditch of water near Earl, Arkansas, 34 miles west of Memphis.

LITTLE ROCK, March 10.—(P)—The constitutionality of act number 156 of 1927, empowering county boards of education to form consolidated school districts, was upheld in the supreme court today, in cases brought before it by Nevada and Randolph circuit courts.

HELENA, Ark., March 10.—(P)—Doctor W. M. Richardson, aged 77, a prominent planter and physician, had for two years a member of the Arkansas legislature from Phillips county, died at his home here today, following an illness of several weeks.

### Program Is Ready for Visiting Day

George Ware Announces Topics for Next Friday, March 14.

The program for Spring Visiting day at the State Fruit and Truck Experiment Farm, two miles east of Hope on highway No. 67 was announced today by George W. Ware, assistant director in charge.

The schedule of events which will draw hundreds of visitors to this city next Friday, March 14, is as follows: 9:00 a. m. Timely demonstrations of visitors. Under supervision of Misses Iva Hipp and Jewell McCullum, and Ralph Routon, Alex Washburn, and Curtis Cannon, representatives of Hope Chamber of Commerce and newspapers.

10:00 a. m. Timely demonstrations for all visitors: "Planting and Fertilization of Irish Potatoes," Sas Knox Extension Marketing Specialist and E. A. Hodson, Missouri Pacific Agriculturalist. "Cover Crops and Rotation," Prof. Martin Nelson and D. J. Burleson, Agronomists, University of Arkansas. "Orchard Management," Prof. J. R. Cooper, Horticulturist, University of Arkansas. "Pruning and Setting Grapes," Guy Stockdale, Assistant, Experiment Station. "Hot Bed and Cold Frame Management," Geo. W. Ware, Assistant Director Experiment Station.

12:00 noon. Dinner and Barbecue. Inspection of Buildings and Equipment—Homer Pigg, Secretary, Chamber of Commerce, and E. E. Austin, Hempstead County Superintendent of Education.

1:00 p. m. General Meeting in Auditorium. "Welcome and Introduction," Geo. W. Ware, Assistant Director, Experiment Station. "The Farm Home," Miss Connie J. Bonslager, State Home Demonstration Agent. "The County Agent and The Experiment Station," O. L. McMurry, Extension District Agent. "Community Cooperation," Miss Eli: Posey, District Home Demonstration Agent.

2:00 p. m. Group Demonstrations for ladies. Miss Sue Marshall, Home Demonstration Agent, Nevada county, Supervisor. "Home Beautification," Prof. J. R. Cooper and G. A. Stockdale, "Poultry Management," Miss Sue Marshall, "Arkansas Garden Contest," Miss Connie J. Bonslager, "Interior Arrangement of the Home," Miss Martha Jane Bucher, Home Demonstration Agent, Hempstead county. 2:00 p. m. Group Demonstration for

### 104 Persons Are Killed As Picture Show Is Destroyed

Films Ignite, Causing Fatalities and Injuries to Many.

#### 600 ARE IN BUILDING

Most of Persons Dead Are Small Japanese Children.

SEQUEL, Korea, March 10.—(P)—One hundred and four persons were killed and more than one hundred were injured today in a fire which destroyed a motion picture show at Chiskai in southern Korea. Most of the persons killed were Japanese.

The theatre was showing patriotic scenes of the Russo-Japanese war while the whole empire was celebrating the day in memory of the conflict.

About 600 persons were in the building when the fire broke out, destroying the structure and threatening a building across the street, but heroic fire fighting prevented this. Most of the persons who were dead today are small children.

### Tax Assessor Issues Warning to Property Owners of Hempstead

According to a statement made by Fred Onstead, county tax assessor, about one-third of the property in Hempstead county had been assessed this year, although the assessing time will end April 10.

He issued a warning to all property owners to assess before that date and save the penalties attaching for failure to assess at the proper time. He will be at his office at the court house daily until April 10.

### Stoneburn Speaks In City Tonight

Poultry Authority Will Remain Over for Association Meeting

Frederick H. Stoneburn, nationally known poultry authority, will make his final appearance before a local audience, at a meeting of the Hempstead County Poultry association in the city hall tonight.

Professor Stoneburn spoke to a large and appreciative audience Saturday afternoon, as the feature program of the county's first Poultry day, and he was persuaded to remain over the week end in order to address tonight's meeting.

Poultry day was proclaimed a great success by George Dodds, president of the Poultry association. More than 350 guests were registered at headquarters Saturday, and Mr. Dodds extended thanks to the merchants and other business men who helped make the day a success, as well as to the donors of displays and awards which went to make up the program.

### Killian Is Convicted Of Murder Charge

NASHVILLE, Ark., March 10.—(AP)—Cecil Killian, aged 22, was found guilty by a jury today of second degree murder for the slaying of his sweetheart's father, B. G. Kesterson, last November and was sentenced to serve 11 years in the state penitentiary.

### Dedication To Be State-Wide Event

Measurements  
Total length of bridge and approaches 1,907 feet.  
Length of bridge proper, approximately 1,000 feet.  
Width of roadway 27 feet.  
Height above water 57 feet.  
Height above river bed 90 feet.  
Approximate cost of bridge and approaches \$900,000.

### Gala Program In Center of Bridge Will Be Arranged

Texarkana and Hope Committees Discuss Formal Arrangements

### PLAN PUBLIC DANCE

Festive Night Program for Brilliantly Lighted River Span.

The Fulton state toll bridge will be formally opened with a joint celebration by Hope and Texarkana about May 1.

The exact date depends upon when the State Highway Commission, the governor and other public officials can attend—but plans for the celebration will be launched by the two cities at once.

This was decided at a dinner meeting in the Hotel Barlow Saturday night, attended by representatives of the Texarkana and Hope Chambers of Commerce. It was suggested from the Hope side of the table that Texarkana make the program arrangements, but a local committee was named to co-operate with Texarkana in completing the program. This committee is: W. S. Atkins, O. A. Graves and E. F. McFaddin.

The Texarkana representatives here Saturday night were, M. E. Melton, secretary of the Texarkana Chamber of Commerce and Allen Winham, Miller county representative in the last legislature. Hope was represented by the following: W. Y. Foster, Sr., Mr. Graves, Mr. Atkins, Mr. McFaddin, C. C. Sragins, Alex. H. Washburn, and W. Homer Pigg, secretary of Hope Chamber of Commerce.

Ceremony On Bridge  
It is planned to hold the celebration in the middle of the bridge, where the Red river divides Hempstead and Miller counties. The roadway of the million-dollar structure is big enough to accommodate a large crowd and an interesting program of about an hour will be arranged for the dedication ceremony.

The Hope Boys Band will be included. (Continued on page three)

### Association To Ship Car of Hogs

Farmers Are Urged To See C. G. Coffee, and List Their Hogs.

Hempstead County Livestock Shipping Association plans to ship out a car of hogs on Friday, March 22, 1930 provided enough are listed with the secretary, C. G. Coffee, by that time.

Several persons have been making inquiry relative to when a car of hogs would be shipped, and as a result of these inquiries the above mentioned date has been tentatively set. Those who have hogs to ship should get in touch with the secretary of the association at once and list the hogs. In the event it is impossible to reach the secretary and to list the hogs with him the list may be left with his assistant Vera Walker at the city hall. There have been shipped out of Hempstead county several cars of livestock through the association, and farmers all over the county are urged to support this farmer owned cooperative association.

### Paisley Presented With Gifts Today

Is Given Radio, Watch and Chain By Teachers of Hope Schools.

At a general assembly, held at the negro school on Shover street this morning, and which was attended by the student body and teachers of Hope, Superintendent D. L. Paisley of the Hope Public schools was presented with a gold watch and chain.

Henry Yeager, principal of the negro school, spoke before the body of his long experience as a school head, and then introduced Mr. Paisley, who told of his association with Yeager, and commented upon the good work which had been done in the negro school, which is rated as one of the best in Arkansas.

The white teachers of the schools here will convene at a meeting which is scheduled at four o'clock at the high school, and present Mr. Paisley with a radio.

Publisher of Star Speaks at Magnolia

Alex. H. Washburn, publisher of The Star, leaves for Magnolia late today where he will address the annual banquet of the Magnolia A. & M. college Press Club. The banquet will be held in the Columbia Hotel, Magnolia at 8 o'clock.



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## The Star's Platform

### CITY

Apply the resources of the municipal power plant to develop the industrial and social resources of Hope.  
Move city pavement in 1930, and improved sanitary conditions in the alleys and business back-yards.  
Support the Chamber of Commerce.

### COUNTY

A county highway program providing for the construction of a minimum amount of all-weather road each year, to gradually reduce the dirt road mileage.

Political and economic support for every scientific agricultural program which offers practical benefits to Hempstead county's greatest industry.

Encourage farmer organizations, believing that co-operative effort is as practical in the country as it is in town.

### STATE

Continued progress on the state highway program.  
Fearless tax reform, and a more efficient government through the budget system of expenditures.  
Free Arkansas from the cattle tick.

## Mr. Cazort as Chief Censor

LEE CAZORT, candidate for governor, patently insults every newspaper in the state with a low-calibre attack on H. M. Jackson, editor of the Marianna Courier-Index and past president of the Arkansas Press association.

Editor Jackson challenged some figures used by Mr. Cazort in a recent radio attack on the State Highway Commission. Whereupon Mr. Cazort has addressed a circular letter to all the editors of Arkansas, in which he says among other things:

*I have only one suggestion to make to Mr. Jackson and that is after this he allow his boss to sling his own mud.*

We can see right away Mr. Cazort isn't going to get far in his campaign for governor. It takes a world of good humor to survive any political race—and here, with the campaign hardly started, he is attacking the common honesty of the press because it happens to disagree with him.

A newspaper has a two-fold duty to perform for its subscribers. It reports facts in its news columns; and in its editorial column endeavors to interpret facts so the public will better understand them.

To be correct in its fact-reporting is necessary for both the newspaper and the nation. But whether it is right or wrong in its editorial interpretation of the facts, is not so important. An editorial is the opinion of one writer. Obviously he can't be right all the time. But if he gives an honest opinion, right or wrong, he has contributed his bit to the cause of good government. For his opinion will be weighed in the judgment of his own subscribers; they will recognize it if right or, if wrong will turn back to the facts with renewed interest and work out another answer.

Mr. Cazort has committed the unpardonable sin of attempting to muzzle the press. He accuses Editor Jackson of having a "boss"—he accuses him simply because Editor Jackson wrote something when Lee Cazort would have preferred him to say nothing.

This newspaper, too, attacked Mr. Cazort because of his campaign platform. We didn't argue the case along the same lines used by Editor Jackson—but we presume the effect is the same. To disagree with this paragon of wisdom who is running for the highest office in the state, is to stand convicted of serving "special interests."

Mr. Cazort is running for governor. Every citizen of Arkansas has the right to. He advocates a change in the method of administering the State Highway Department. But we have just made a change. Mr. Cazort wants to throw the State Highway Commission back to a direct vote of the people. Arkansas has just come out of that system. It didn't get any roads built for Arkansas. The old Bankhead highway was put through Hempstead and Nevada counties not by the state, but by the citizens of these counties. If it ever is paved with concrete, it will be paved by a strongly centralized Highway Commission, whose engineers don't get flat feet from marking time on a state election every two years.

## Immigrants and Farms

IT WAS probably the change in the character of American immigration in the middle of the last century that was ultimately responsible for our present sharp restrictions on immigration.

During the first half of the 19th century America drew a great flood of immigrants from northern Europe. These immigrants, for the most part, became farmers. Land was cheap, and land was rich; the best thing an ambitious immigrant could do was take to farming.

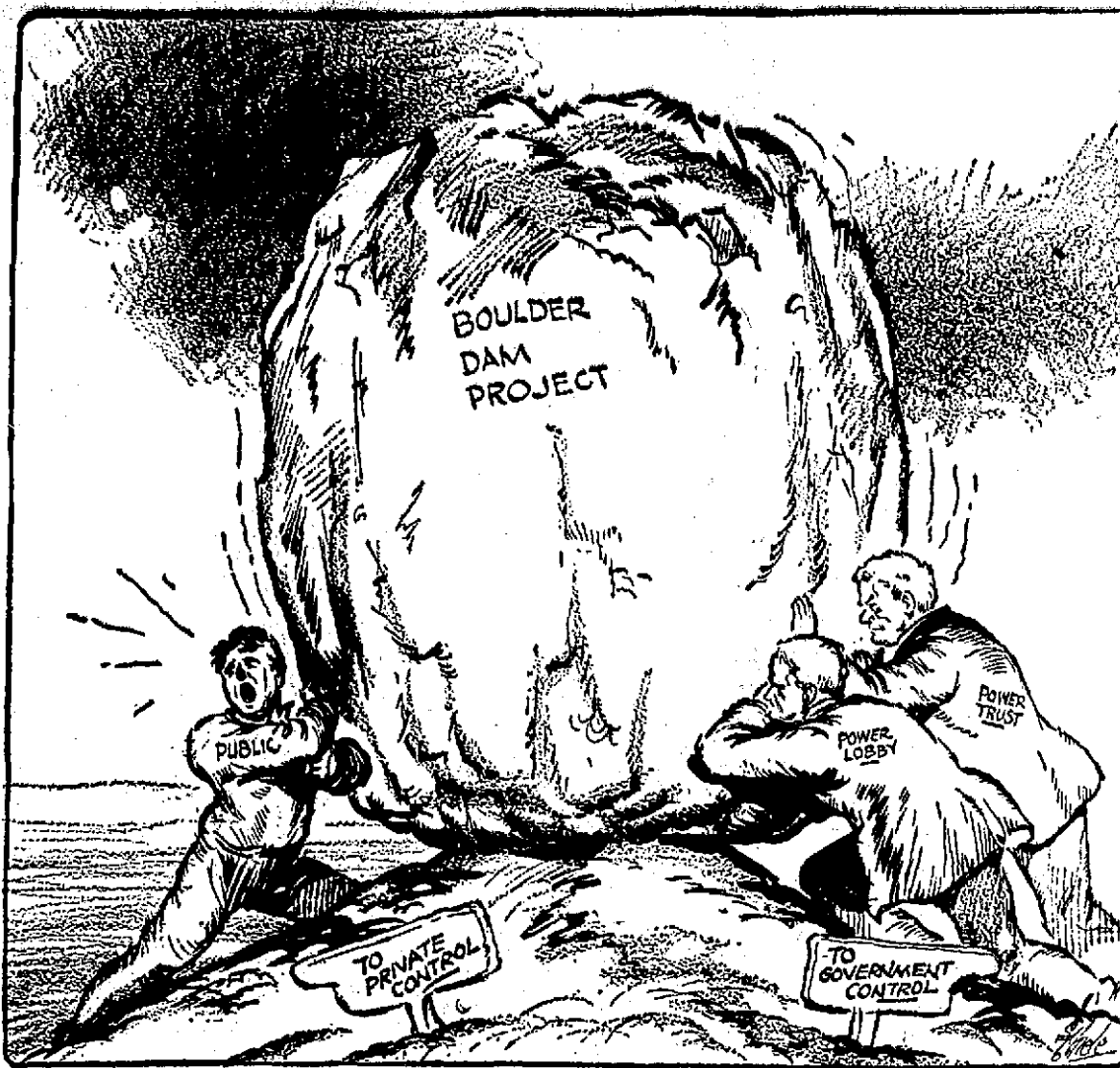
Then came the change. Immigrants began coming in from south Europe. They did not go to farms so much. They settled in the cities. Instead of becoming farmers they became day laborers and factory hands. The cities grew crowded. Out of all this came the conviction that the nation had taken in as many strangers as it could assimilate. The bars were put up.

But The Interpreter, the useful little magazine put out by the Foreign Language Information Service, points out that this change was chiefly due to economics.

Immigrants stopped becoming farmers and took to the cities, not because they wanted to, but because they had to. The supply of cheap and fertile land ran low and prices went up so high that a farm was out of the ordinary immigrant's reach. Furthermore, American industrialism was just beginning to grow. It needed workers. The immigrant's best opportunity was in the city, not in the open country.

Now comes a new shift, highly significant. The children of south-European immigrants are moving out, to those farming regions where the land is poor. They are taking the farms that native-born farmers are giving up—and they are making a go of them. By frugality and hard work they are redeeming farmlands that were thought to have outlived their usefulness.

## Balanced Rock!



Daily WASHINGTON LETTER



## BY RODNEY DUTCHER

NRA Service Writer

WASHINGTON—Uncle Sam is going out of the hotel business and his 500 or more girl guests are very sore.

By June 15 they will all have had to find themselves rooms or kitchenette apartments and while that is only a small item in the sum total of human misery there is much to be said for the knowledge that their daughters were so safely parked. In fact, quite a few of the guests complain that their families will force them to give up their jobs and return to the parental roof once the hotels are closed.

The girls are paying \$50 a month for a single room and two good meals a day or \$25 a month for a room without meals. They enjoy various hotel facilities although there are no bell-hops or room telephones.

They are going to lose this because the government has a large development program for the beautification of the Capitol Plaza, covering the area from the railroad station to the grounds now occupied by the capitol itself. In their protests against being turned out, however, they point out that thousands of new census employees will soon be coming into Washington looking for places to live and that as the plaza project is not to be completed before 1932 the tearing down of the hotels might well be delayed while some thought could be given to maintaining a government hotel system elsewhere.

These buildings have been seen by hundreds of thousands of visitors to Washington. They lie opposite the Union Station, long, low two-story, shingled gray stucco structures little resembling the ordinary commercial hotel. Inside they are

still comfortable, although the government has long been pursuing an evacuation policy under which there has been no new paint and varnish or other physical improvements.

Girls and women from 43 states are living in them, now. Many timid mothers from back home have visited the hotels and returned happy in the knowledge that their daughters were so safely parked. In fact, quite a few of the guests complain that their families will force them to give up their jobs and return to the parental roof once the hotels are closed.

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While Congress is considering ways and means of strengthening prohibition, why not try a law making prohibition arguments illegal?

A business magazine says "pros-

perity will rise with the sap." The same sap who lost all his money last fall in the stock market smashup?

Spring must be almost here. The baseball writers discovered 19 new Christy Mathewsons and 21 new Walter Johnsons.

Now Mr. Coolidge hints that he won't need all of those 500 words for that history of the United States that

## Card Sharks Shun This Game



There's no danger of card sharks hiding these giant cards up their sleeves in the novel "beach poker" game introduced by society folk on the sands at Venice, Calif. The wheelbarrow experts setting up the game are Cecile Anderson and Gertrude Anderson. The other picture shows the game in progress with a showdown for the pot in the center occurring.



Groucho Marx, one of the four famous Marx brothers, drove a grocery wagon and aspired to become a prizefighter. That was in Cripple Creek, Colo., before he became one of the most widely known comedians of the stage.

## News of Other Days

From the Files of the Star

### 25 YEARS AGO

Senator T. C. Jobe spent Sunday at home.

Hon. J. H. McCollum spent Sunday at home.

Chas. Hervey has been spending the past two days on his mother's Red river plantation.

Ambrose Hanegeon, an old Hope boy now living in Texarkana, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Briant have spent the past few days in Little

Rock. is to be chiseled on a mountainside. Before he gets through they'll be able to put the whole business on a boulder.

## "DOUGHT TO TRY CARDUI AGAIN"

Mother's Advice to Daughter Was Followed, and She Soon Got Better.

North Little Rock, Ark.—"Shortly after my marriage, my health wasn't very good," writes Mrs. W. E. Burgin, 315 West Second Street, this city. "I had severe cramping spells, and at times I would have to go to bed. This would be very weakening."

"I took about five bottles of Cardui at this time and my strength came back. I did not have any more trouble for some time."

Several years later, Mrs. Burgin found herself debilitated by heavy home responsibilities, and she explains: "I seemed very slow in getting my strength back. I was too weak to do anything but just lie around. I would get very nervous over my condition."

"My mother told me I ought to try Cardui again. I did, and soon was getting better. When I had taken about four bottles of Cardui, I was able to do my work again, and haven't had to take it any more."

Thousands of women have written to tell how they had been benefited by taking Cardui.

**TAKE CARDUI**  
Helps Women to Health  
Theodore's Black-Draught should also be used in connection with Cardui, as a laxative. 25c.

## Dainty Curls Ring Stylish Belle



NBA Cleveland Bureau

Extravagance of design in dresses has reached the coliffuros of the fair sex as seen in these dainty curls which Thelma Strecker of Elyria, O., displayed at the convention of Ohio hair dressers at Cleveland.

Rock.

### 10 YEARS AGO

Mrs. T. R. King was a guest of Mrs. O. J. Mohley, at Texarkana early this week.

Mrs. J. L. Morgan has returned from a short visit with her sister, Mrs. Etolce Moore, at Gordon.

Mrs. Emma Green was called to Ashdown again today to be with her Mother, Mrs. Mary Toland, who is quite ill at her home there.

Mrs. R. M. Briant returned last night from a month's stay at Hot Springs.

Mrs. Chas. S. Lowthorp and Mrs. Roy Anderson will entertain tomorrow afternoon, at the home of the former from 3 to 6 o'clock honoring Mrs. T. R. Diggs and Mrs. A. B. Chance, of Centerville, and Mrs. R. B. Mitchell, who has recently taken up residence in our town.

Mrs. Tully Henry and the Misses Pearl and Ruby Conway returned yesterday from Texarkana where they have been visiting and shopping.

**Britisher Broaches Sale Of West Indies To U. S.**

PORT-OF-SPAIN, Trinidad, March

8.—(A)—Lord Olivier of England, head of the West India Sugar Commission, is regarded here as a very bold man, inasmuch as he has dared publicly to refer to the proposal to sell the British West Indies to the United States. Recently Lord Olivier said:

"When you have concluded your negotiations with Washington, and put the proposal to the British Government that the islands be put up for sale, then you can see about it."

Taken literally these remarks suggest that overtures have already been made in Washington.

## Alleged Overcharges For Gas At El Dorado To Be Investigated

EL DORADO, March 8.—A probe of alleged overcharges by the Public Utilities Corporation of Arkansas, holder of the gas franchise here, has been ordered by the City Council and citizens have been invited to appear before a special committee of the council Monday night to make protest.

The action was taken when approximately 250 citizens appeared before

the regular meeting of the council Thursday night and protested against their gas bills for the current month. The gas company contends the higher bills are due to colder weather during January and the first part of February.

## "Garage Man" Repairs Car and "Tests" It

HARRISON, Ark., March 8.—When employees of the 101 garage receive distress calls from motorists they get into action cautiously. But in the meantime they are looking for Jack Williams, who has every bit of the appearance of a garage man.

A customer, Earl Ragland, called the garage. His car needed repairs. Williams, loitering about, heard the conversation.

He dressed himself as a garageman should be dressed, and took the motor of repairs into his own hands. When the employee arrived from the garage to repair Ragland's car, they found that Williams had not only repaired the car but had taken it for a spin to test his ability.

He has not yet returned.

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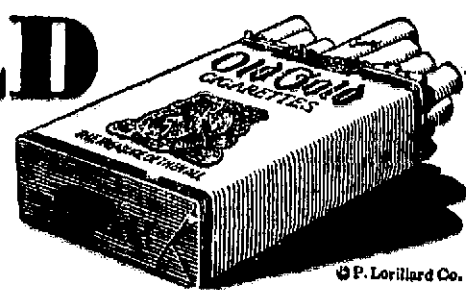


## "DON'T SHOOT!" cried the willowy Winona

"And why not, my gal?" demanded Wellington Threaves, thrusting his classic chin against her heaving bosom.

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Soft palm, or hand hand, it matters not—never;  
Give me the grasp that is friendly forever.—Selected.

Mrs. Fred White entertained most delightfully Saturday evening at her home on South Main street at a surprise bridge party celebrating the birthday anniversary of her husband. A profusion of lovely spring flowers lent beauty and fragrance to the rooms, where five tables were arranged for bridge, with the table accessories carrying out the spring flower motif. The high score favor went to Mrs. M. S. Bates, and the cut prize for Indies to Miss Genie Chamberlain for gentlemen to T. P. Boyett. The honoree was presented with a beautiful gift. After a series of pleasant games, a delicious salad and ice course was served.

Little Miss Charlie Edna Boyle entertained Saturday afternoon at the home of her parents on South Elm street celebrating her 7th birthday anniversary. The dining table was centered with a huge birthday cake adorned with seven gleaming tapers. Fancy candies and lollipops were given as favors. Fourteen little friends responded to the invitation, and the afternoon was spent in games and contests.

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## Widow



This is Mrs. Blanche Blake of Oklahoma City, widow of Robert Blake, who before he was executed in the Texas state penitentiary on a murder conviction wrote of the last hours of several men in the death house. This was published in The American Mercury, and then made the basis of a Broadway hit called "The Last Mile." Gene Howe, publisher of the Amarillo Globe-News, is now assisting Blake's mother and other relatives in obtaining a fair division of profits of the play.

Mrs. W. Q. Warren is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Clyde Yarbrough and Mr. Yarbrough in Little Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wood Williams of Little Rock were in the city Saturday, attending the matinee at the Seenger, en route to Stamps for a week end visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Newton had as Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Budney and son of Texarkana and Mr. and Mrs. Blake Scott and Sam Black of Prescott.

Lamar Cox, a student in the Little Rock School of Pharmacy spent the week end visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Cox.

Dr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family and Mrs. M. J. Jones spent yesterday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Brents McPherson in Benton.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will hold an all day service at the church tomorrow beginning at 10 o'clock. It is urged that all members try and be present.

The John Cain Chapter of the D. A. R. will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Miss Mary Carrigan on North Elm street.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin L. Sigmund of Monticello were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. White spent the week end at their cottage, Pine Lodge at the Little River Country club.

Mrs. Alma Mitchell spent the week end visiting with home folks in Texarkana.

Mrs. Pat Rising and little daughter, of Texarkana were week end guests

## 14 Years of Prison Life Have Aged Mooney



These two striking facial studies show Tom Mooney, as a labor leader in San Francisco in 1916, and as he appears today, at 47, a waiter at the guards' mess in San Quentin penitentiary, awaiting action on the pleas for his pardon now before Governor C.C. Young of California. Mooney and Warren Billings were sentenced to prison for the Preparedness Day bombing in which nine persons were killed 14 years ago. Even the judge who sentenced Mooney is now taking a leading part in the effort to get a pardon for him. The state supreme court and the State Advisory Pardon Board are delving into the records. A decision is expected soon.

of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McLarty.

Mrs. Charles Lock and Mrs. Wilbur Jones of Ozon were shopping in the city Saturday.

Mrs. Glenn Ellis and children r Okay and Mrs. Garland Ellis of Saratoga attended the show at the Seenger theatre yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Garrett Story and daughter Harriett Grace are entertaining at Bridge Thursday afternoon at their home on West Second street as special compliment to Mrs. Thomas Carter of Monroe, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Collier Cox of Prescott were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Holloman.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Haselman of Ozon were in the city yesterday to hear Bishop Boaz at the First Methodist church yesterday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Berry of Smackover were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Middlebrooks.

Mrs. R. B. Sanford has issued invitations for bridge Friday afternoon at her home on South Elm street.

The Althean class of the First Baptist Sunday school will hold its monthly business meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the church annex, all members are urged to be present.

**Gala Program**  
(Continued from page one)

ed in the program, as will a band from Texarkana. It is probable that a dance will be arranged on the roadway at night. The bridge will be brilliantly illuminated for the occasion, with search-lights from government dredge

boats playing on it from the river below. These boats are expected to be secured at once by the program committee, and all other river craft available will be solicited in order to do honor to Red river—once a notable stream in the history of water transportation.

**Structure is Finished.**  
Although the exact date of the opening of the bridge depends upon weather conditions in the next few weeks, the State Highway Commission has informed those in charge of the dedication that the structure will be ready between April 15 and May 1. The bridge proper has been completed, except for the toll house now under construction on the Hempstead county approach. But certain work remains to be done on the long earth embankments required on the west side of Red river.

It is planned to use the bridge immediately after the dedication, with a short detour on the Miller county side, to enable motorists to drive into Texarkana much of the way on the new concrete pavement that is now finished. Work on the new grade between Fulton and Hope is progressing, but will have to settle many months before it will be safe to put pavement on it. The plan is to use the old route of No. 67 from Hope to Fulton and most of the new route from Fulton to Texarkana. This will probably be in effect after the dedication about May 1.

**Jurors Are Named**  
(Continued from page one)

Columbus, and Tow Goodwin, Mine Creek.

The second panel of petit jurors will report to the courthouse on Monday, April 21. They are: W. H. Stingley, Washington; O. R. Green, Ozon;

## Wedding Finery



This age of elegance influences wedding finery for spring. Left to right: Regal dignity has an off-white satin bridal gown of princess line, with modern design to its skirt that cuts its train in one with the garment. There is a rose point yoke and arm holes and bands of the lace in the sleeves. The maid of honor wears a pale yellow frock with drop yoke and lace puff sleeves and a matching hat that pleats its brim. The bridesmaids' frocks are pale green, made in quaint style of many ruffled skirt, high waist and puff sleeves. A lace and satin hat of green tops this frock.

Mine Creek township; Shep Lane, Mine Creek township; W. A. Formby, Patmos; Pierce Hulseon, McCaskill; W. S. Gordon, Bodeaw township; Wilmer Williams, Bois d'Arc township; Wilbur Jones, Ozon.

Alternates for the second petit jury panel will be W. H. Harris, Mine Creek township; James Brown, Wallaceburg township; J. W. Martin, Spring Hill; Barney Stanton, Saratoga; Fonzle Moses, Hope; Henry Pickard, Hope; W. H. Harris, Garland township; Sam Breeding, Garland township; S. W. Crank, Spring Hill

## He's Salesman For Chicago



Philip R. Clarke, above, Chicago banker, faces a task few master salesmen would care to tackle. As chairman of the Citizens' Tax Certificate Committee, he must convince financiers of the advisability of purchasing some \$50,000,000 worth of tax anticipation certificates to tide Chicago over its present period of "bankruptcy."

township; W. E. Simmons, Bodeaw township and Claude Lovell, Mine Creek township.

## Program Is Ready

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Men, Lynn Smith, County Agent Hempstead county, Supervisor. "Home Mixing of Fertilizers," D. T. Burleson and Lynn Smith. "Fertilizer Recommendations," J. R. Cooper and J. M. Stallings, Agronomist, National Fertilizer Association. "Spraying Fruit Trees for Control of Diseases and Insects," C. L. Rogers, County Agent, Howard county. "Soy Bean Planting and Management," D. J. Burleson, Extension Agronomist and A. G. Thomas, County Agent, Nevada county.

## NOTICE

The Quarterly Teachers Examination will be held Thursday and Friday March 20 and 21, at Washington. E. E. AUSTIN, County Superintendent

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## Enthusiastic 4-H Club at Blevins

100 Members Enrolled at Meeting Last Tuesday.

Miss Martha Buecher and Lynn Smith, county demonstration agent, and county agent respectively held a combined meeting of boys and girls at the Blevins high school last Tuesday, and 68 boys and 32 girls were enrolled in the 4-H club.

A number of the boys pledged an acre of cotton for this year, and they will compete for prizes that will be given away this fall. Miss Buecher made an enthusiastic talk to the girls on home-making, and was met with much approval.

At the first meeting the following officers for the year were elected: Lynn Bruce, president; Audrey Derryberry, vice president; Harold Hilly, secretary; and Ethlene Stebbins, reporter.

Much interest is being aroused, and it is thought that Blevins will have one of the outstanding 4-H clubs in the county. A similar meeting was held at Sweet Home last Tuesday. This meeting was also conducted by Miss Buecher and Mr. Smith.

## McCaskill To Get Electric Service

Meeting Held To Discuss Getting Juice From High-Line.

Officials of the Southwestern Gas & Electric Co. and residents of McCaskill met last Tuesday to discuss the possibility of getting electric service for McCaskill.

The company is now serving northern Hempstead county, and if it definitely decides to give McCaskill residents this service, the line will be tacked about four miles south of McCaskill, where the line now runs to Blevins. This big improvement, along with the others that are now on foot, means that McCaskill is holding her own.

The terms of the franchise were not disclosed, but it was said the company will have the line in McCaskill in a short time.

## When You Feel That Way, Dear Reader, Springtime Has 'Come'

In the spring, the poets say, a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love. But if the young man is no longer young, those same thoughts take a more materialistic turn and deal largely with fishbait, shady places on the bank of a creek and at great length on the gentle subject of thickened gravy, wild onions, "poke" salad and cornbread.

That's the surest sign of spring. You wake up some morning to find a balmy touch in the breeze bringing a whiff of fragrance from the southland. There's a spring of "poke" in the corner of the fence near the lot and the old domineer sings merrily as she goes about the business of laying eggs at ten cents a dozen for which you later pay two bits a pair.

You wander up town sorter aimless-like and the first thing you see is a stack of cane poles in front of the hardware store, with the window display showing fishing tackle of every conceivable kind. Then you make up your mind that it's springtime, gentle Annie, go home and pull off the long-legged red flannel kind and pull out to the woods looking for "a mess o'poke."

Famed chefs have prepared many a dainty dish to tempt the jaded appetite of kings and queens and princes. Fowls of the air, fish of the seven seas and fruits of the earth have been arranged for palates seated with culinary masterpieces—and nature's choicest gift has been neglected.

But not with those who really know good things. Ne'er more tempting dish graced table than bowl of "poke salad" just about this time of year, with matching accessories of thickened gravy, fried bacon, wild onions and cornbread. Folks, there's food as is food! It'll stay with you to the other end of the row and back, whether you're jerking a bell cord over the gable end of a mule or manipulating a hickory hoe handle. It'll allay the grievance you feel against your neighbor for bolting the democratic ticket last election, ease the pain from ingrowing political aspirations and is a sure and certain remedy for damaged reputations and holes in barn doors.

Pass the "poke salad," please, and forgive us for playing hookey from the daily grind long enough to go "poke huntin'."



THIS is the Ascot scarf worn in the English manner with the tailored spring suit. It is of dark brown crepe and beige knitted wool.

## Election Is Held By High Seniors

Blevins Class Holds Meeting and Elects Officers.

The Senior class of Blevins High School is small in numbers this year, and only five will graduate in May. At a meeting held last week the members elected the following officers: Clyde Self, president; Edward Bonds, vice-president; and Audrey Derryberry, secretary and treasurer. Herman Brown and William Cummings are the other members. They chose as their class colors, purple and gold, and the honeysuckle as the class flower.

It is not decided definitely who will deliver the class address, but some able speaker will be chosen. The Junior and senior-class play will have its first rehearsal some time this month.

## OUT OUR WAY



REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

## She's "Perfect 34"



FANCHON, Hollywood's only woman producer says the new type American "curves" girl must have a 36" waist, 36½" hips and 34" bust and to help girls of the movies attain this figure, west coast producers have forbidden stars and extras alike to go in for harmful reducing diets that omit sweets and other energy producing foods. Above, "Po" Jack, graceful young tap dancer whose figure meets Fanchon's requirements.

## SCHOOL NOTES

Miss Colie Tanner was absent from her classes last week due to the serious illness of her sister at Smackover. Her classes were taught by Miss Lola Bruce.

The prizes were awarded last Friday to the scholars that stood the highest in their classes for the month of February. The Hendrix Auto company and the Hope Star were very much pleased with the grades that most of the scholars made. They wish to tell you they have a big surprise in store for those who win the prizes for the month of March.

Last week through error the able students' name, J. W. Foster was omitted from the prize winning list. The sponsors of this contest are very sorry this error occurred. His prize was given with the others, and we wish to tell the different students that it is as much pleasure for us to give these prizes that it is for you to receive them.

Miss Clyde Lewis spent the week end visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Jackson of Bingen.

Next Friday will be open house at the state experiment farm and many students of the different schools of the county will be represented. It is anticipated that Superintendent Branch will accompany the science class to this meeting.

We are glad to note some new names on the list of the scholars that stood the highest in their classes, and deportment for the week ending March 7th. Following are the names of the high five in each grade. First grade: Wayne Boreland, Ralph Harris, Arlene Wood, Barton Smith and Harris Cummings. Second grade A: J. W. Foster, Floyd Leverette, Lloyd Lezumwalt. Second grade B: Martha Lett, Clara Bell Harris, and Coy Cramer, Cleith Taylor, Udell Wardlow, Howard Honea, and Geraldine Stone. Third grade: Ean Fern Stephens, Gertrude Irvin, T. S. Bailey, Ernestine Houser, and Geraldine Thomas. Fourth grade: Billy Brown, Christine Brooks, Armene White, Mary Sue Smith, and Louise Cummings. Fifth grade: Mary Louise Bailey, Quentin Derryberry, Audrey Ferrell, Austin Hendrix, and Beatrice Smith. Sixth grade: Ruby Johnson, Edd Bossenberger, Herman Smith, Marie Ward, and Opal Yates. Seventh grade: Violet Cross, Winnie May Lee, Reeder Johnson, Jimmie Lee, and Coy Byrum.

H. L. Lay was called to Amity last Sunday to attend the funeral of his aunt.

Mrs. Harold Branch of Murfreesboro spent the week end with her husband, and returned to her home last Sunday.

Mrs. T. L. Phillips and daughter Pearl of Smackover were visiting friends in Blevins Saturday afternoon.

## BLEVINS MARKETS

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Small Fryers ..... 25c  
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Geese ..... 10c  
Guinea ..... 25c  
Turkeys ..... 25c  
Eggs ..... 15c

## McCaskill Personals

W. H. Gaines made a trip to Fulton on Tuesday in the interest of the Nowlin-Cary Music company of Hope.

Bert Scott and Jess Tensley made a trip to Malvern on Thursday where they organized a truck growers association. They report a favorable meeting, and officers were to be elected in the near future.

C. T. Dotson, and Lyman Eley were McCaskill visitors Friday morning en route to Hope to transact business.

Thelma Bruce of the McCaskill School faculty spent the week-end with her folks at Blevins.

Orvell Wortham, a senior in Prescott High School, spent the week-end at home visiting relatives and friends.

Little Miss Ott Mae Lively was hostess to a group of her friends last Saturday. After birthday greetings were extended, and games played they were served a light lunch.

Harold Gorham left Wednesday for Lounn, where he will be employed by one of the major oil companies.

Alvis Stokes who had undergone an operation for appendicitis at the Prescott hospital was brought home Saturday much improved.

Jess Tinsley made a business trip to Prescott last Friday.

## Menus for Family

BY SISTER MARY

NEA Service Writer

ALTHOUGH the food value and mineral and vitamin content of foods is of first consideration in planning menus, the color of the various foods served enters into the general scheme of things.

Try visualizing your menus as you read them over. Foods of contrasting color usually combine excellently, since the color contrast helps contrast also in flavor and texture.

If you see the menu in your "mind's eye" as you plan it you will find a new interest in serving it. In this day of colored linens and glasses, the family luncheon or breakfast table can be made a veritable picture. You, yourself, may be the only one at the table who fully appreciates the color effect, but every member of the family blindly, perhaps, will enjoy his meal more than usual. Your own secret satisfaction will be great and more than repay you for the extra thought involved.

The following luncheon menu is for a simple family meal, but it is colorful and offers opportunity for experiment:

Cream of spinach soup, hot cheese sandwicher, jellied tomato salad, peach islands, tea, milk.

## Peach Islands

One pint canned peaches, 4 tablespoons sugar, 1 tablespoon granulated gelatin, 4 tablespoons cold water, 1 orange, 1 cup whipping cream, 1-2 teaspoon vanilla.

Drain peaches from syrup in can. Add enough water to syrup to make one cup. Add sugar to syrup and bring to the boiling point. Stir in gelatin softened in cold water and remove from fire. When cool add juice of orange. Reserve about four tablespoons of this mixture, keeping it warm over hot water until needed. When remaining gelatin begins to thicken, beat with a Dover beater until frothy. Whip cream until firm, add vanilla and beat into gelatin froth. Pour into a shallow serving dish and dot with halves of peaches. Pour reserved syrup over each peach and put in a cold place to chill.

## Radishes Ready For Market Soon

Weather Conditions Hold Back Crop From Fast Maturity.

What will be the largest crop of radishes that has ever been harvested in northern Hempstead county will start a week later than anticipated due to cold weather.

The expenditures along the P. & N. W. Railway for vats, sheds, and platforms is greater this year than ever before. Work is being rushed on the vats and platforms at Blevins and Dunlap, and everything will be in readiness when the crop starts moving.

Along with the radishes, there will be a large crop of mustard and turnip greens to be harvested. I. W. Hendrix has received new pumps and motors that were ordered through him and their installation will start the last of the week.

The truck growers want to give the public the best that can be grown and this year the quality is very good. With new equipment, and circulating water for the new vat, the radish and greens crops should bring top prices over other states that will have their produce on the market at the same time.

## Stephens Candy Firm Expanding

Branch Houses Opened at Horatio and Magnolia.

Eugene Stephens, owner of the Stephens Candy company at Blevins, started two and one half years ago with one truck, but has grown so that he has opened branch houses at Horatio and Magnolia. At present he is operating six trucks and six salesmen, covering about ten counties in southwest Arkansas.

Clarence Leverette has been made sales manager, and along with his duties he has charge of all the buying. At the present time they are buying from about 50 different candy companies. In 1929 the volume of sales reached, a large figure, but 1930 will show an increase of about 30 percent. Mr. Leverette says they have built their big business on two things, fair dealing, and service. Blevins is the only town its size in southwest Arkansas having an up-to-date jobbing house.

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Blevins, Ark.

## First Photo of the Crash of Ben Eielson's Plane—A Drama of the Frozen Arctic



This is the first picture of the wreckage of the plane in which Pilot Carl Ben Eielson, famous Arctic flyer, and his mechanic, Earl Borland, met death when forced down on the frozen wastes while flying to the rescue of Olaf Swenson and his party on the ice-bound fur trading ship, the Nanuk, at North Cape, Siberia. This picture was taken by members of the rescue party which finally found the plane after a long search. It was brought back to Alaska and then the U. S. by airplanes.

## Victorious Rebels Seize Santo Domingo



The advance contingent of the uniformless, untrained "revolutionary army" which was able to capture Santo Domingo, capital of the Dominican Republic, almost without opposition, is pictured above as it arrived within the gates of the island metropolis to be hailed by the populace. Only one fortress, manned by federal forces, held out against the rebel troops, who marched southward across the island to occupy the capital city and demand the resignation of President Horacio Horacio asquez. Many of the invaders, as this Hope Star-NEA Service photo shows, were unarmed.

Mrs. Julia Duckett, and Warren Nesbitt were transacting business in Hope on Friday.

J. A. Austin was taken to the hospital at Prescott last week for treatment for a gathering in his head, contracted from the flu, and was brought home Sunday improved.

Ben Mullens, a former resident of Blevins, has returned to Blevins for an indefinite visit with his mother, Mrs. Tom McLaughlin. Mr. Mullens is slowly recuperating from a five months seige of typhoid fever, and a stroke of paralysis.

Chris Peachey of Denver, Colo., and his mother of Nashville were visiting relatives and friends in Blevins Thursday.

Mrs. Lewie Urey who has been critically ill with an attack of brights disease, is slowly improving.

Miss Kathleen Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brown, suffered an acute attack of appendicitis last Wednesday, and was taken to the hospital at Prescott on Thursday, where she underwent an operation. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Herbert Stephens, Jr., is spending a few days in the Rio Grande valley in Texas, visiting with the truck growers

## McCaskill Talks of Consolidation

Three Districts To Be Taken In On the Move.

Petitions are now being circulated to consolidate the districts of Friendship, Avery's Chapel, and Bolton with the McCaskill school.

Should this meet with the approval of the state department it will mean the expenditure of about \$9,000 for an addition to the present school at McCaskill. It will also mean the school will have a much higher rating, being an accredited school.

As soon as the petitions have enough signatures they will be forwarded on to county Superintendent E. E. Austin, and from his office to the state department at Little Rock.

of that section.

Will Cornelius left for Avery, Texas last Tuesday where he will be employed at one of the largest lumber firms in that section. His family will follow him later, where they will make their future home.

Miss Ethel, and Bernice Bruce spent Saturday night at the home of their folks in Blevins. They returned to Delight on Sunday, where they are teaching in the public schools.



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### WANTED

WANTED—Lady wanted by elderly couple to help do chores about farm. Apply at this office. Mar. 8-31p.

AGENTS WANTED—An insurance company, the largest of its kind, writing men, women and children, would like to employ lady and gentleman in Hope. Answer in care of this paper, stating age and experience. Mar. 6-13.

WANTED—Washings. Mrs. Davis, 312 South Walnut. Mar. 10-31p.

WANTED—Roomers and boarders. Mrs. Judson. Mar. 7.

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good Rowden Forty cotton seed, \$1.00 per bushel. Apply B. F. Breed, Hope, Route 5. 4-8p.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Five good houses. Well located. Will trade equity for lots, or cutover land, or timber, or sell with small cash payment down. Floyd Porterfield. Mar. 5-31p.

FOR SALE—All varieties Cane seed. Monts Seed Store. Mar. 6-6t.

FOR SALE—One Jersey male, subject to registration. Two miles on Spring Hill road. S. P. Field. Mar. 8-31p.

FOR SALE—Popular varieties Corn Seed. Monts Seed store. Mar. 6-6t.

### Playwright



Facile, to say the least, is pretty Miss Mary Lou Cooke, above, a coed at Trinity University, Waco, Tex., who turns out original plays for the college dramatic society on request. Thanks to Mary, the college doesn't have to worry about the expense of buying plays or paying royalties.

FOR SALE—Bayer Dip-Dust for Corn. Better stand and yield. Monts Seed Store. Mar. 6-6t.

FOR SALE—Sweet milk, whipped cream, butter milk and butter, from 2 tested Jersey cows. Call 461J for delivery. Mrs. J. A. Wallace, 896 west Fifty street. Mar. 10-31.

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One six-room house near Brookwood school. Floyd Porterfield. Mar. 5-31p.

FOR RENT—Three room furnished apartment with garage. Call 331 J. Mar. 7-31.

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms apply 312 South Walnut. Mar. 10-31p.

### STRAYED

ESTRAYED—From my home near Bodew Saturday, March 8, one bay mare, about 10 years old, weight about 1000 pounds, blaze in face. Reward for return or information leading to animal's recovery. A. C. Fincher, R. 2, Rosston, Ark. Mar. 10-31p.

### Personal Mention

Mrs. Ogle Shodot of Nashville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Tom Coleman in this city.

Miss Gladys Coleman has returned from a visit to relatives in Nashville.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Matthews spent Sunday in Hot Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Holt of Mena, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Holt, Sr. and Mrs. John Holt, Jr., of Washington were visiting Mrs. J. A. Johnson of Hope Sunday.

Mrs. Paul Dudeney of Washington was a week end visitor to Mrs. J. A. Johnson of this city.

W. A. Franks of Hope has accepted a position with the Fair Store Inc. located at Little Rock, he left last night to begin his work this morning.

Miss Mable Shaw of Texarkana was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Richards on Jack Hyde of El Dorado, formerly South Elm street Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric C. Turner of Hope were visiting Mrs. Turner's sister in Texarkana Sunday.

I. L. Mayne of Blevins is a business visitor in Hope today.

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Farm Machines  
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Implement Co., Inc.  
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# Murder Backstairs

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by ANNE AUSTIN AUTHOR OF "THE AVENGING PARROT" "THE BLACK PIGEON," ETC.

### BEGIN HERE TODAY

THIS CRIME! Doris Matthews, lady in summerhouse by blow with heavy perfume flask body rock-weighted into lake on estate of millionaire Berkeley. DETECTIVES: Bonnie Dundee, great at time of crime and discovery of body. Captain Strawn of the homicide squad. MEMBERS OF THE SQUAD: Mrs. George BERKELEY, social climber; George Berkeley, opposed to his daughter CLORINDA's engagement to a man named CROSBY, New York society widower and a close friend of Mrs. Berkeley's social secretary, MISS LAMBERT. CLORINDA Berkeley, engaged to Crosby; GIGI Berkeley, Dick Berkeley's drunk Friday night and so infuriated with Doris that he had forced her to agree to meet him later, although she was engaged to EUGENE ARNOLD, chauffeur; WICKETT, butler, formerly in employ of both Mrs. Lambert and Crosby. While detectives scour the estate for Dick Berkeley, missing from his room all night, Dundee reconstructs crime which he believes was impromptu and committed by a member of the household because of the perfume flask used as a weapon. Strawn announces his intention of searching for fingerprints of the perfume bottle, but Dundee tells him that every person in the drawing room Friday night had been splashed with it by GIGI—including the butler.

### NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XII

"To the devil with that kid!" Strawn exclaimed disgustedly, when Dundee told how GIGI Berkeley had seized the perfume flask and gone dancin' madly from one to another in the drawing room the night before, lavishly sprinkling perfume upon dinner coats and evening gowns. "If your crazy GIGI and that damned perfume don't quit bobbing into this case I'll go nuts. Now I suppose all we've got to go on is blood stains—if any! . . . Would that woman have bled much, Doc?" He turned to the coroner hopefully.

"Very little," Dr. Price answered. "There wouldn't have been any splashing of blood, if that's what you mean. Not from a scalp wound like that. As you can see from the remains of the stain—and he pointed to the brownish spot on the floor—"there was a small pool of blood, which collected while the body lay there, during the time the murderer was gathering the stones and binding the skirt. But I should say it is entirely possible that the murderer got none on his clothes. Probably the wound and the hair was swabbed off with the same cloth used to wipe up the floor."

"Damn!" Strawn growled. Then he brightened. "Best I don't suppose that little pest, GIGI, appointed everyone's shoes, as well as dinner coats and evening gowns, did she? . . . Well, then, if I can find a pair of shoes stinking with this stuff, their owner's going to have a lot of explaining to do!" "Of course, there is a bare possibility that the murderer was an outsider—some intruder who found the girl waiting here for her sweetheart, not knowing he couldn't meet her," Dundee offered dubiously. "Any evidence of an attack upon the girl, Dr. Price?" "None whatever," the coroner answered.

"As I expected," Dundee nodded. "We couldn't hope this case would be as simple as that. Furthermore, a chance intruder would scarcely have taken the time and the trouble to dispose of the body. He would simply have bent it as quickly as possible, fairly sure of many hours to escape before the hue and cry was raised. And still furthermore, such an explanation would entirely fail to account for the flask of perfume. . . . No, it seems to me that it's fairly obvious our mur-



Clorinda Berkeley threw up her head, her eyes measuring Dundee with cool insolence.

derer is a member of the Berkeley household, which includes all servants and guests, of course. . . . By the way, where is Crosby?"

"I SENT him to the house, along with two of the boys—Wilkins and Cain. Wilkins was to stand guard downstairs, to keep anyone from busting in on us down here, and Cain was to watch Crosby. Hey, boys!" he called to the three plainclothesmen and a uniformed policeman who still awaited orders. "Which one of you can ward and salute?"

"All right, Collins. Come along with us. Detective Dundee will tend you his bathing suit. I want you to bring up a pile of five stones you'll find on the bottom of the lake about five or six feet from this summerhouse, and then dive until you find a little white apron tied about some broken glass. . . . You can remove the body now, Dr. Price. I see the morgue ambulance has come. . . . And let me have your report as soon as possible, Caraway," he added to the fingerprint expert. "Be sure to include the fingerprints of the corpse, too."

The chief of the homicide squad hesitated for a moment, frowningly rubbing the grayish stubble on his massive jaw. "Barnes, you and Peters are detailed to go over this section of the lawn and the lake's edge with a fine tooth comb. Bring in anything and everything you find that shows people have been here—cigar or cigarette stubs, burnt matches, handkerchiefs, and so on. . . . You, Clem-

"Mr. Crosby with them?" Dundee asked. "Yes, sir. But I don't believe he has amplified Miss GIGI's statement that the poor little girl committed suicide. One of the detectives is with them."

"Thanks, Wickett! You've been a brick," the young detective whispered fervently, and ran upstairs, followed more sedately by the uniformed policeman.

When they returned, Dundee saw the butler's tired old eyes widen with dismay or horror at sight of the scanty new costume which Clorinda was wearing.

"Please, sir, you don't think Mr. Dick—"

"We haven't found him yet," Dundee answered, pretending not to understand. But he was startled. Odd that the butler was the first to hit upon the idea that Dick Berkeley's disappearance might be explained as gruesomely as Doris Matthews' murder followed by suicide?

In the great front hall, Wickett quietly insisted upon the proper amenities. Preceding the invading group, he opened the door of the "little parlor" and addressed Mr. Berkeley punctiliously: "Captain Strawn of the police, sir."

IN the quivering silence which gripped the room George Berkeley advanced and held out his hand.

"I have been told something of what has happened here, Captain Strawn," he said, with grave courtesy. "and of course I am at your disposal, though I am afraid I know very little about police methods where suicide is concerned."

"Mr. Berkeley," Strawn answered, a little pompously, "I'm very sorry to tell you that it is not suicide with which we have to deal, but—murder!"

The next minute was one of dreadful confusion. Dundee tried to see everything, hear everything, but his ears were ringing with GIGI's scream, his eyes clung compassionately to the terror-stricken little face until it buried itself in Mrs. Lambert's lap.

"Don't, my darling, don't!" the social secretary pleaded, her arms enfolding the child protectively. Then she raised her silver-crowned head and looked reproachfully at Captain Strawn.

"Please remember, sir, that this child has already suffered a terrible shock," she commanded.

"Sorry, ma'am, but this is no time to mince words," Strawn replied gruffly. "Doris Matthews has been murdered, and it is my duty to question every person who was in this house last night. But before the investigation gets under way, I'll say to you, sir, and he turned again to George Berkeley: "That you and me both can consider ourselves lucky that Mr. Dundee happens to be on the scene of the crime."

There was a slight movement of surprise on the part of everyone in the room. Clorinda Berkeley gasped, then threw up her head, her black eyes measuring Bonnie Dundee with cool insolence. Seymour Crosby took a step forward, then halted, looking absurdly puzzled. Mrs. Lambert relaxed the fiercely protective pressure of her arms, made an effort to lend her usually charming smile to a puzzling moment. Even GIGI raised her tear-stained little brown face and stared. Dundee felt the hot blood of embarrassment burning in his cheeks.

(To Be Continued)

## 923 Cattle Are Given Tuberculin Tests In January, Says Report

LITTLE ROCK, Mar. 7.—A total of 155 lots comprising 923 cattle were given tuberculin tests during January, according to the report of Dr. J. H. Bux, state veterinarian.

This brings the total once-tested herds in Arkansas to 10,484, comprising 38, 379 cattle.

At the beginning of last month, there were 10, 501 herds under supervision which included 37, 431 head of cattle. There were 300 herd comprising 1,500 head of cattle on the waiting list.

## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR COUNTY OFFICE  
County Election, August 12, 1936

For Sheriff  
J. E. BEARDEN  
J. W. GRIFFIN  
RILEY LEWALLEN

For County Judge  
H. M. STEPHENS  
J. MARK JACKSON  
RUFFIN WHITE

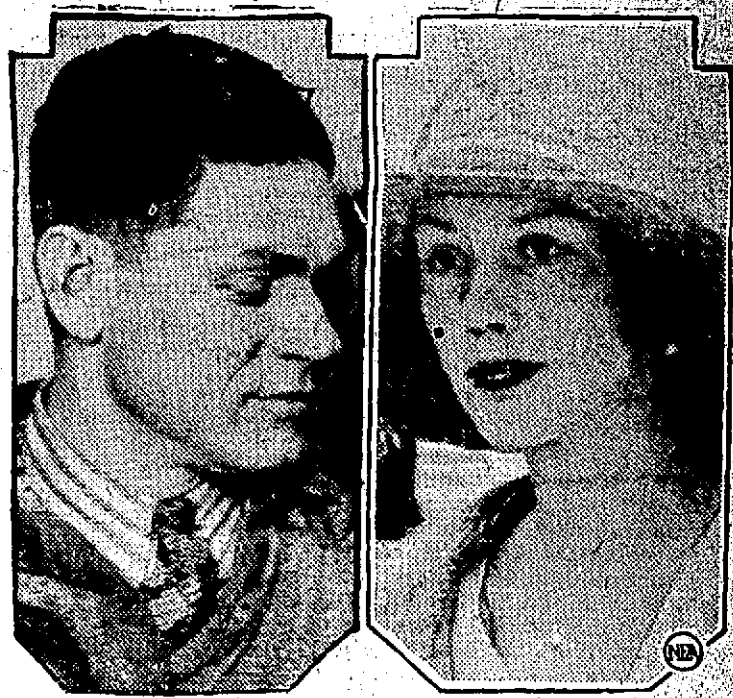
For Tax Assessor  
JOHN W. RIDGILL  
SHIRLEY ROBINS

## Heiress Now Hubby's Cashier



A Los Angeles "business" has caught the fancy of the former Katherine Thorne, Chicago society girl and heiress to the mail-order millions of Robert J. Thorne. She is shown here with her Arizona cowboy husband, George R. Gillespie, at the cashier's desk of the miniature golf course he opened where she rings up the receipts. She eloped with Gillespie a few months ago.

## "Honesty Pays"—\$5000 to Taxi Driver



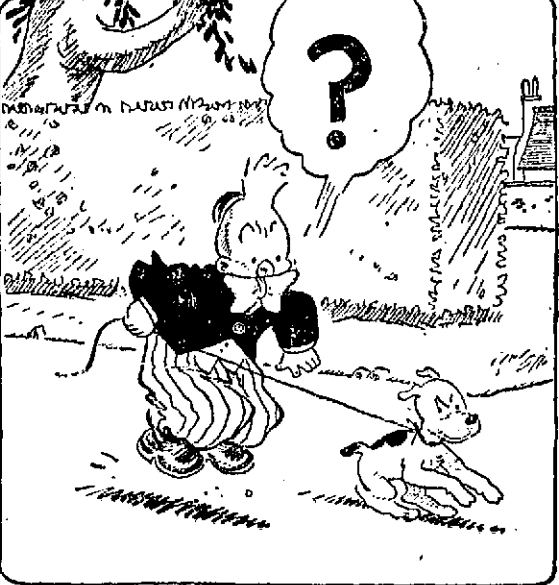
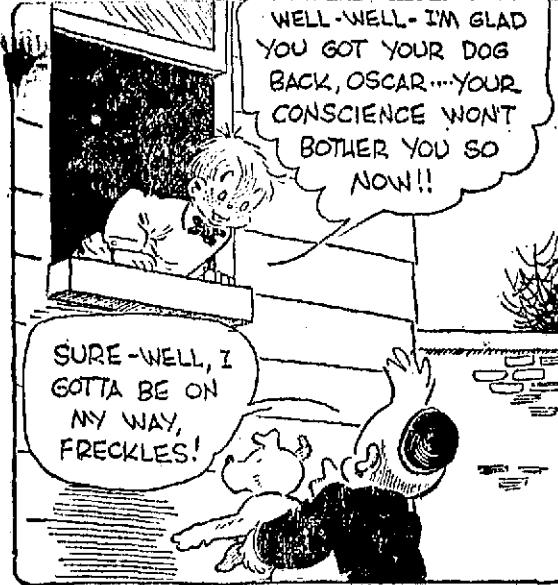
It had been a dusty day. Busy with dust-cloth and whisk-broom, Clodomiro Ruiz, left, went to work to clean up the interior of his taxicab in New York. There was a pocketbook in the back seat. In the pocketbook were gleaming jewels. To the nearest police station hurried Clodomiro Ruiz, where he told that his "find" was valued at \$45,000 by Mrs. John E. Parsons, right, New York society leader, who had lost the jewels. "Honesty is a jewel," quoted Ruiz, who, with the \$5000 reward that is his, will buy a farm in his native Porto Rico and return there with his sick wife and their two little children.

## Sent By Archduchess



Austria's Napoleonic jewels were valued at \$400,000, but all the Archduchess Maria Theresa got out of the sale of them in this country was \$7270. Here you see Assistant District Attorney Hastings of New York, right, and Anne Eisenmenger, a representative of the Archduchess, examining a picture of the treasured diamond necklace as a search was begun for the gem brokers who are alleged to have taken \$52,730 as "commission" from the sale.

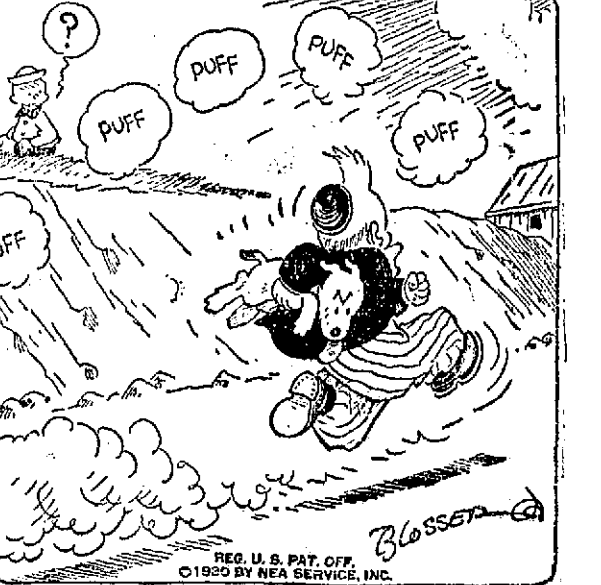
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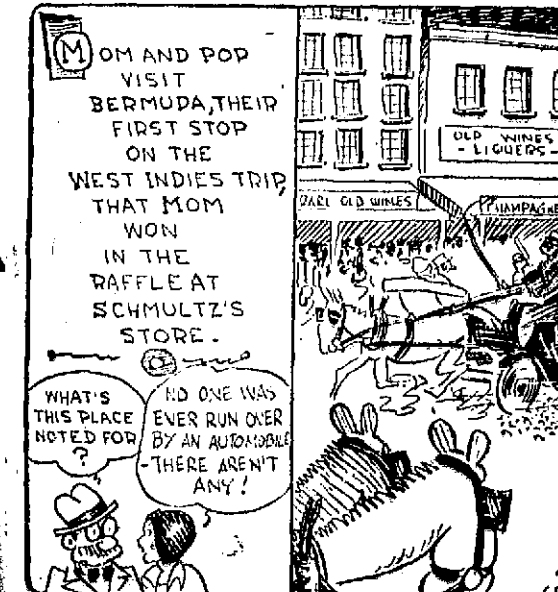
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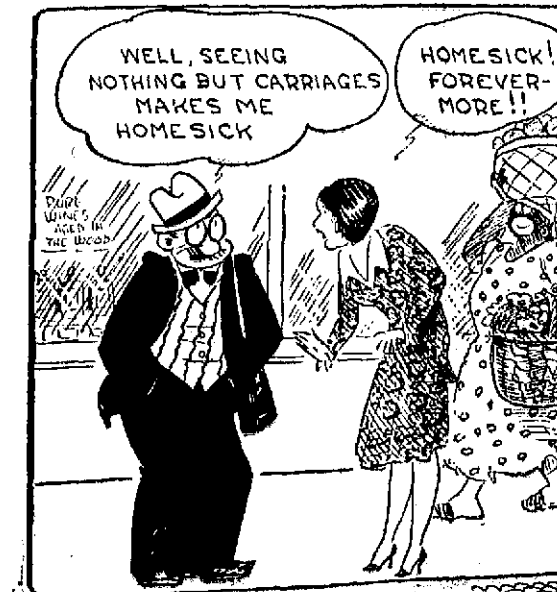
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### HOMESICK



### By Cowan



### By Cowan





# A PAGE of SPORT NEWS

## Hooks and Slides

by William Braucher

### The Million-Dollar Gate

When Jack Dempsey retired from the realm of boxing, the million-dollar gate went into seclusion with him. The last great spectacle at Soldiers' Field, with its slightly less than \$3,000,000 in receipts, remains not only as a high water mark but a memory as well. "Tex Rickard" never seed nuthin' like it, and judging from the heaves you see around nowadays, the rest of us may never behold the likes of it, either.

Despite Dempsey's retirement, however, Tex used to insist that the million-dollar gate would return. "There'll be some more big fellers come along that can punch like Dempsey," Tex used to say. "That's what you got to have to bring them but—the big fellers."

### Not All Big Fellars, Though

EVIDENTLY, from the figures at hand, it's going to take more than men of the Sharkey and Scott caliber to "bring them out." A ton of heavyweights presented to the weary public at Miami brings out only a wintry response from the "nice people." Maybe on the next card, acting on the tenets left by Rickard, the Garden ought to present two tons of heavyweights, on the theory that they will draw twice as much.

In this connection, the wires out of Chicago have been burdened with some strange tidings these last few days. Mr. Dempsey has been looking at his knuckles after reading the current reports of the Carnera killings. You can't blame a person like Mr. Dempsey for inspecting the mauls under such conditions. If the Primo can pile up the plasters in three figures by nudging bumps at the rank he has been meeting, Mr. Dempsey might well reason that anything would be rather more than likely to happen if he could entice the Dinosaur of the Dolomites into the same ring with him.

A match between Dempsey and Carnera would not afford a million-dollar gate, perhaps, with the status of the Dinosaur such as it is now. The Carnera is still merely a museum attraction wearing oversized boxing gloves. If Primo can push a few gentle punches whose names we have heard before, he will reach the proportions of a card of the sort Tex dreamed of.

### DID YOU KNOW THAT—

JIMMY (BOY BANDIT)

JOHNSTON'S brother, Charley, in New York, asked brother James in Miami what Scott's chances were. . . . and Jimmy replied, "Bet your hankroll." . . . Which is something like the tip Tim McGrath at San Francisco gave Tom Sharkey in New York on the Bob Fitzsimmons-Philadelphia Jack O'Brien fight. . . . Lou Little, Columbia's new \$13,000-a-year grid tutor, played a game of basketball recently with a bunch of boys. Only a few minutes of play had elapsed when a freshman teammate of Little's said, "Snap out of it, big boy! That guy's scoring too many baskets on you!"

Lou played his part nicely and said, "Okay, cap! Let's go." . . . The Chicago Tribune's Inquiring Reporter recently asked a composer, a credit man, a musician, a pressman and an errand boy if he would rather be on Catalina Island with the Cubs or in San Antonio with the Sox. . . . "On Catalina Island with the Cubs," answered every one.

### Meat for the Mauler

THIS is the kind of meat that

Dempsey likes. Since he has retired he has been flitting around here and there, and to all reporters' questions as to whether or not he would fight again, he has given out replies that were the very quintessence of coy diplomacy. He might fight; he might not—the sports writers who go to interview him on the subject could get just as definite a conclusion by "picking petals off daisies."

Jack intimates that Carnera's is a skin he would love to touch. Looking back to that other man mountain, Jessica, and Dempsey's treatment of him, it would seem to us that Jack could do worse than emerge from retirement and sock the diplodocus a couple of healthy belts on the mustache.

It might bring a million dollar gate, at that.

## 'Miss Tennessee'



Chosen as the most beautiful girl in her state, charming Miss Ethel McFadden, above, 18-year-old stenographer of Paris, Tenn., will compete for the title of "Miss America" at the Bathing Beauty Contest at Miami Beach, Fla.

### "Sally" Will Be Shown At Saenger This Week

One of the greatest combinations of comedy talent ever seen in a motion picture will be shown at the Saenger Theatre screen Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday when "Sally" is shown. "Sally" is adapted from Miss Miller's greatest stage success, and is a First National and Vitaphone picture entirely in color. It is also Miss Miller's first picture.

Joe E. Brown, famous on stage and screen, has the principal comedy role, the same one originated on the stage by Leon Errol. T. Roy Barnes is cast as the flip theatrical agent, Otis Hooper. Ford Sterling plays the German restaurant proprietor, Jack Duffy, portraying an old rooster who is out for no good with the cuties. Pert Kelton, who starred in Ziegfeld's "Rio Rita," has the ingenue role and sings a number of comical songs.

In addition there are scores of other players to contribute to the fun, and the handsome Alexander Gray is cast in the romantic role opposite the star.

With his superlative cast Director John Francis Dillon is said to have given to the screen one of the very finest entertainments in its history.

"Sally" has some of the biggest stage ensembles yet screened. "Look For the Silver Lining" and "A Wild, Wild Rose," songs hits of the stage version are retained, while new, snappy and up-to-date musical numbers have been provided by the First National Vitaphone staff song writers.

### "Flight" Coming To New Grand Theatre

Planes, darling, and swooping through the clouds, loop-the-loops, death-defying parachute jumps, tail spins, thrilling battle formations, hazardous landings and blazing planes—these are some of the thrills that are in "Flight," the Columbia all-talking roadshow attraction about the

# A FAMOUS SMILE FADES OUT

Nation Will Remember Taft, Not Only Because He Was Only Man to Be President and Chief Justice, But Also for His Jovial Good Humor

By ROBERT TALLEY  
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The death of William Howard Taft, the only man in the nation's history who had been both president of the United States and chief justice of the United States, ends a public career that spanned 50 years. But, aside from that, it marks the passing of a kindly man who—in the cloistered precincts of his private life—was a devoted husband, a proud father and an adoring grandfather.

For Taft—famous for his good nature, his broad smile and his genial disposition—never let the tremendous cares of high office overshadow the fact that he was, after all, a human being and not a mere intellectual machine.

You get the picture when you learn that every Christmas he read Dickens' "Christmas Carol" aloud to his children and later to his grandchildren. You realize it again when you read that each September, on his birthday, he staged a big family reunion with everybody present—his daughter and her husband, his two sons and their wives and, in recent years, his 11 grandchildren.

You understand him better when you read that during Mrs. Taft's serious illness in the White House, which affected her vocal cords and necessitated that she learn to talk all over again, the president sat beside her bed for long hours, teaching her.

"Now, please darling," he would say, "try and say 'the—that's it.' That's pretty good, honey, now try it again."

The career of Taft was closely linked with that of Theodore Roosevelt. The two men in 1890 when Roosevelt came to Washington as a civil service commissioner and Taft was a solicitor-general under President Harrison.

It would be hard to imagine two

men while on a bob-sled ride. The ceremony followed on June 19, when he was 29.

Taft's inauguration was marred by some of the worst weather in the capital's history. On the night of March 1, 1909, a howling blizzard ripped into Washington and continued unabated on inauguration day.

His invariable good humor persisted despite the weather. "I always said," he remarked, "that it would be a cold day when I was made president."

In the screeching wind and stinging snow Taft appeared on the temporary platform before the thousands massed in front of the capitol. But only for a moment. Choosing the more sen-

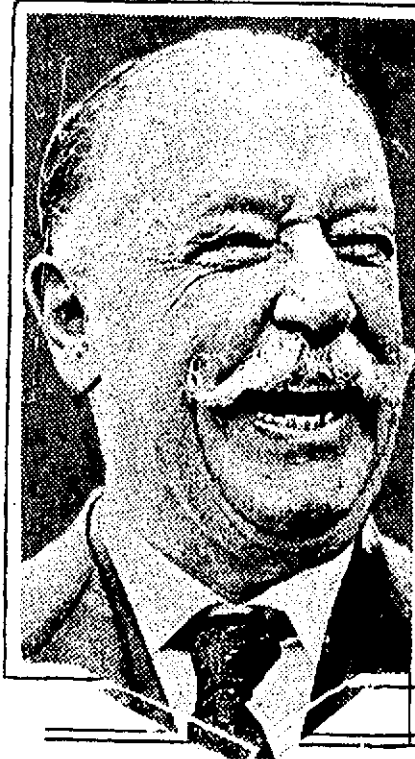
ior, he stepped into the capitol building and there, in the warmth and shelter of the Senate chamber and delivered his inaugural address there.

Again he emphasized the contrast between himself and his bosom friend, Roosevelt. For somehow one feels that even through the worst blizzard in all history was raging, "T. R." would have stood there on the stand and made his speech, an old slouch that pulled down over his eyes, a muffer knotted around his neck and—with that characteristic gesture—his high fist pounding emphasis in his left palm.

For a time when Taft was in the White House he weighed 350 pounds, but by careful dieting and enforced exercise he got his weight down to 250 pounds. He continued to do much walking, horseback riding, and play quite a bit of golf until his heart prevented.

Always a heavy eater, he consumed a 12-ounce steak for breakfast each morning, according to the later testimony of the housekeeper.

Though the expenses were paid out of his own pocket, he insisted on serving sandwiches and punch at White House receptions when as many as 2000 persons called. At state dinners, famous in his administration for their elaborate menus, there was always champagne in ample quantities and an ample variety of other drinks for those who cared to partake. But—and this is the strangest part of all—Taft himself was a teetotaler.



Three closeups of the famous Taft smile that endeared him to the American people.

## Taft's Life In Brief

- 1857—Born at Cincinnati, Ohio, Sept. 15.
- 1878—Graduated from Yale, second in his class.
- 1880—Graduated at law school, Cincinnati College. Admitted to Ohio bar same year.
- 1881—Appointed assistant prosecuting attorney of Hamilton county, Ohio.
- 1882—Appointed U. S. internal revenue collector.
- 1885—Assistant solicitor of Hamilton county, O.
- 1886—Married Helen Herron of Cincinnati, on June 19.
- 1887—Appointed judge, Ohio superior court, to fill vacancy; subsequently elected.
- 1890—Appointed solicitor-general of the United States by President Harrison. Met Roosevelt for first time.
- 1892—Appointed U. S. circuit judge.
- 1896—Dean of law school, University of Cincinnati.
- 1900—Appointed by President McKinley to presidency of Philippine commission, and later became governor of island.
- 1902—In personal interview with Pope Leo XIII at Vatican, arranged the delicate matter of confiscated church lands in Philippines.
- 1904—Became first legislative assembly in Philippines.
- 1908—Elected president over Bryan by popular majority of 1,269,990 votes, through Roosevelt's support.
- 1910—Broke with Roosevelt over national conservation policies.
- 1912—Defeated for president by Woodrow Wilson after Roosevelt had split Republicans.
- 1913—Became Kent professor of law at Yale. President of American Bar Association.
- 1914—First President of American Institute of Jurisprudence.
- 1918—Appointed by President Wilson as member of National War Labor Board for arbitrating labor disputes.
- 1919—Endorsed peace treaty of Versailles and League of Nations.
- 1921—Appointed chief justice by President Harding on June 30.
- 1930—Resigned as chief justice on account of ill health.
- 1930—Died at Washington, D. C. March 8.

## Fouke Panthers Wins District Ten Basketball Championship for 1930.

ASHDOWN, March 10.—Playing a style of court game built around two sturdy veterans, Fouke's high school Panthers won the Arkansas District 10 basketball championship here Saturday night by defeating Columbus, 34 to 18, in the final game of the two-day tournament. Fouke also won the tourney last year.

Captain Hershel Ginnings, forward, and Guy Dickert, guard, both all-district men two years in succession, were Fouke's dependable duo. Ginnings handled the Panthers' interests offensively, tossing six field baskets and three field goals for 15 points. Dickert covered a large portion in Fouke's defensive department.

"Ginnings' three field goals gave Fouke a 5 to 1 lead at the end of the first quarter, but in the second period Combs added one and Ginnings and Dickert tallied to give Fouke a 13 to 7 lead at the half.

Gerald Gilbert of Columbus made two field goals in the second quarter and C. Gilbert contributed one Columbus' biggest feature of the game was defensive play in the first half. The Hempstead county cagers covered the Panthers in fine style and intercepted many a would-be basket.

In the second half Fouke opened with a better brand of passing game and Columbus loosened in an effort to get more shots at the basket. Both teams succeeded in acquiring many

losses. Fouke displayed more accuracy than its opponent and stepping into a comfortable margin.

R. C. Delaney of Columbus fired three successful times at the hoop in a last period rally, but it was too late to be of much consequence to the Hempstead quintet.

Fouke went through the tournament in a blaze of glory. That team was not a top favorite when the meet opened Friday morning, but worked up enthusiasm and determination for the title. The Panthers' performances in five games were superior to any of their yearly season games.

The Hope Hi Bobcats showed up exceptionally well in the tournament winning their first game from Center Point by a close score and later they defeated the Horatio five by a score of 21 to 9, only to go into the semi-finals and be defeated by the Columbus cagers and eliminated from the finals.

## Fairest Co-Ed



Still further proof that blonds are preferred was demonstrated recently at the University of North Carolina when the students elected charming Miss Maurine Forester, above, their most beautiful co-ed. Maurine's home is in Dallas, Tex.

## Home From Frozen North

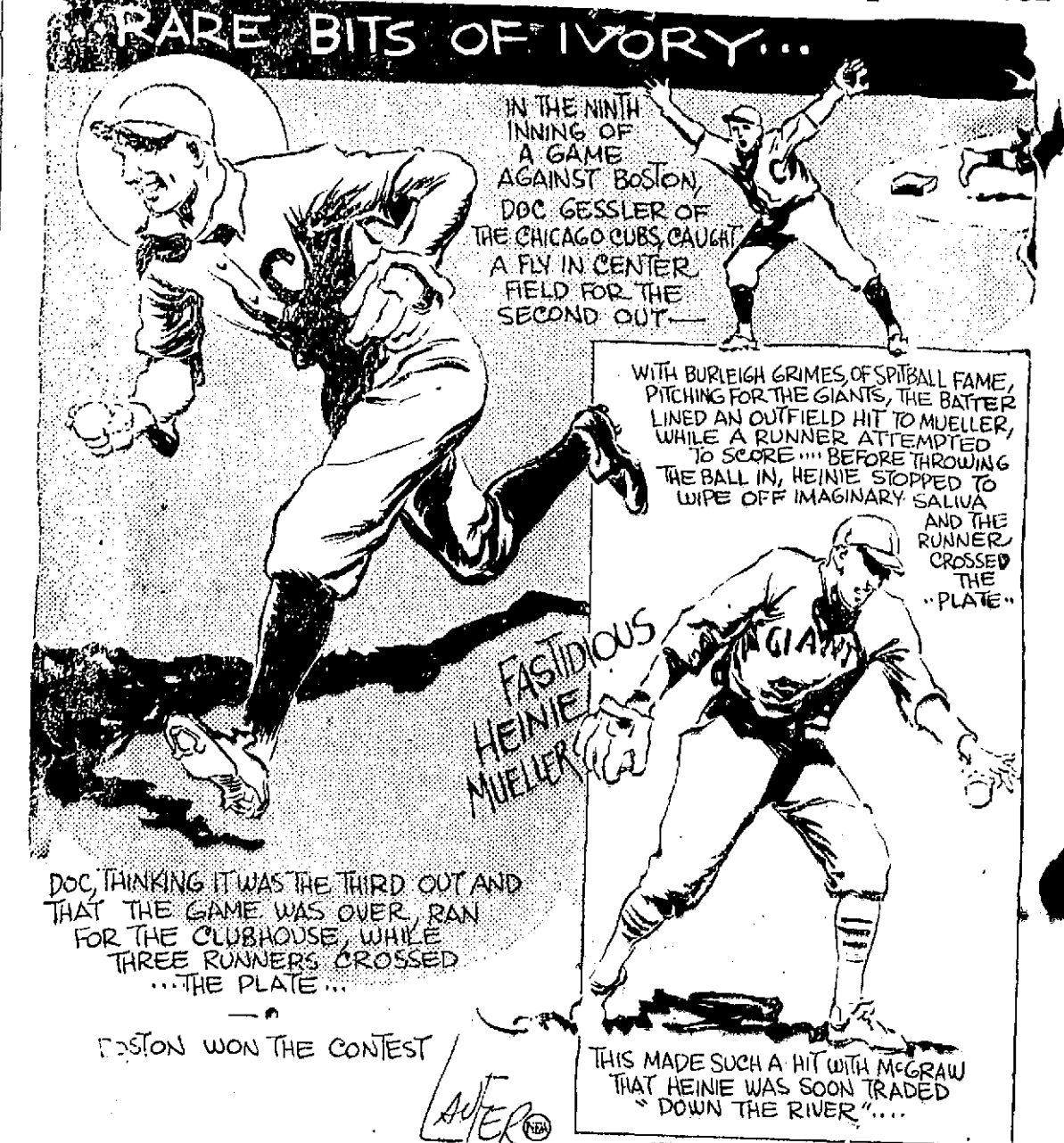


It was a happy moment when the steamship Alaska docked at Seattle and Marion Swenson, right, who had been on her father's fur trading ship, the Nanuk, in the frozen north for nine months, was welcomed home by her mother, Mrs. Olaf Swenson.

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